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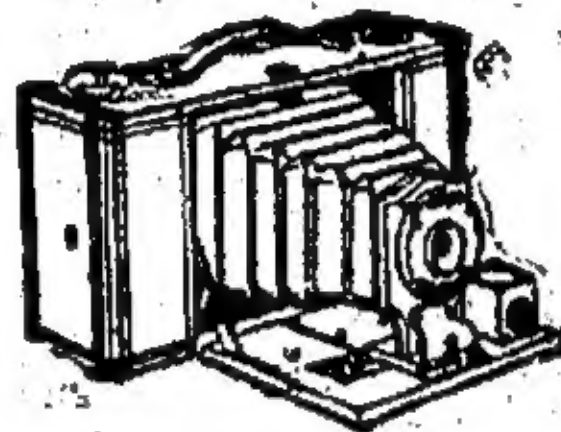


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When we mention that we propose to draw attention to some comments in the Report of the British Commercial Attaché on the prevalence of an anti-foreign feeling in China, we can picture the ironical smile which the mere mention of such a suggestion will bring to the countenances of those commercial delegates from the Pacific slope of America who have been touring in China for some weeks past, being cordially welcomed and lavishly entertained by Chinese merchants wherever they have gone, in the south as well as in the north of China's vast Empire. Nevertheless, an anti-foreign feeling widely prevails in China and is manifested in many ways. Not long ago the public in America were scared by their newspapers into a belief that we were on the eve of another Boxer outbreak in China, something worse perhaps than the memorable rising of 1900. This scare was fanned by the newspapers on American officials in China; but the Washington Government were at loss to discover how such an idea could have got abroad. Now, when we say that the British Commercial Attaché has been writing about the "anti-foreign feeling" in China, we had better explain at once that he is not attaching to that expression its old and familiar meaning, as boding danger to life and property, but he is simply using it to describe the manifestation of commercial jealousy which cannot be wholly condemned as a bad sign of the

times, since it is accompanied by "unmistakable stirrings of a national vitality which must in the long run conduce to the betterment of commercial relations between China and the outer world however disintegrating its early effects may be." As Mr. Kerr observes, it is very unfortunate that this growth of patriotism should be so closely associated in matters commercial, "but the fact cannot be ignored that the jealousy and fear of foreigners is at present one of the main stimulants of material progress in this country." The Chinese of to-day, he goes on to say, are apt to regard commerce as a conflict in which the success of one party implies a corresponding loss to the other. "They are convinced that foreign imports drain their country of its wealth; they seek to curtail the privileges of the foreign trader in every way; and their aim is to produce for themselves the piece-goods and other commodities which they have hitherto imported." That is all very true; but of what country in the world cannot the same be said? In every country the same jealousy of trade is manifested, the same grudging admission of foreign imports, and the same determination to oust the foreign manufactured article wherever it may be possible to imitate it. We can, indeed, find an almost exact parallel to the case of China in the commercial history of England, and many readers will probably be familiar with the writings of DAVID HUME, the historian, combating the "anti-foreign feeling" which prevailed in commercial circles in his day. So long as rivalry is good-natured we cannot complain: though it may injuriously affect certain lines of imports, it will lead to great increase in others. Thus, as Mr. Kerr says, the establishment of factories in China affords an ever-widening opening for the use of imported machinery, and, in the second place, the national movement is signalled by efforts which are likely to assist the development of national resources and react on commercial prosperity. As in the case of Japan, and indeed every other progressive country, some lines of imports may tend to disappear, but the total volume will grow. History has proved beyond dispute that the more the industrial arts increase in any State, the more will be its demands from its industrious neighbours. We have been accustomed to hearing for many years past that the knell of the foreign import trade is sounding in Japan, but in point of fact the import statistics show that the value of the foreign imports has risen from 171 millions in 1896, to 394 millions in 1909. So has it been with every other progressive country and so will it be with China. Though individual industries may suffer, the national movement in China, so long as it represents the peaceful development of industries, need not be feared by the industrial nations, and experience will correct that exuberance of sentiment which has been so blatant at times. The Chinese have not been invariably successful with their industrial undertakings. Many have failed, and as Mr. Kerr observes in the course of his interesting report: "Much experience will have to be dearly bought by Chinese industrial promoters and managers before factories provide either a permanent sure opening for Western machinery or a serious menace to the Western importers of manufactured goods."

It has been reported to the police that the Harbour Office shroff has absconded with \$3,600.

H. M. S. *Rohilla* left Hongkong yesterday afternoon for Home, with officers and men whose time on this station has expired.

A coolie who appeared before Mr. J. R. Wood at the Magistracy yesterday on a charge of being in possession of a quantity of opium was found guilty and ordered to pay a fine of \$125.

A large silk godown at Shanghai belonging to the Sino-Belgian Bank was burnt out last week. The loss is roughly estimated at \$1,500,000, all covered by insurance in various Companies.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Bell left for Home by the *Hirano Maru* yesterday. Dr. Bell, who is in charge of the Government Civil Hospital, goes on twelve months' leave. Dr. W. M. V. Kerk is due to return within the next fortnight.

Harmston's Circus arrives here to-day. The combination will land at the Douglas Wharf between 8 and 9 a.m., and will proceed to Causeway Bay, where all will be got in readiness for the opening to-morrow night.

A Chinese who stole an umbrella and a jacket from a passenger on the s.s. *Kueng Tung* was sentenced by Mr. E. R. Hallifax at the Magistracy yesterday to one month's imprisonment with hard labour and six hours' strokes.

Messrs. Carlowitz & Co., advise us that they have just been informed by the Apollinaris Co. Ltd., London, for whom they are the agents for China and Hongkong, that their famous table water has been awarded the "Grand Prix" at the Brussels Exhibition, 1910.

At the Marine Court yesterday the coxswain of the steam launch *Hung On* was convicted by Commander Beekwith of contravening the rule of the road on October 20th on the Canton River, almost involving a collision with the *Kinsan*, and his certificate was suspended for three months.

The return of visitors of the City Hall Library and Museum for the week ending the 23rd October, shows that of non-Chinese there were 344 to the Library and 213 to the Museum and of Chinese 141 to the former and 3,005 to the latter. The Library was, therefore, used by 485 persons and the Museum by 3,218.

At the Supreme Court yesterday an action brought by the Kam Shing firm against Chan Hiu Shan for \$295 due in respect of goods sold and delivered was mentioned before his Honour Mr. F. G. Hazleard, Acting Puisne Judge, sitting in Summary Jurisdiction. Mr. J. H. Gardner for defendant consented to judgment, but asked for a stay of execution, which was granted.

A sum of Y17,393,000 has been specially granted by the Japanese Government for the relief of Koreans in need, and the money has been distributed throughout the peninsula. The money is required to be deposited in a bank nominated by the Governor-General in charge of the local Government and the interest on the deposit is to be used for undertakings to give employment to destitute Koreans, for the education of children, and for the relief of the people in time of famine.

The wedding of Mr. H. T. Jackman, assistant engineer in the Public Works Department, and Miss Dorothy Smith was solemnised at the Peak Church yesterday morning by the Rev. A. B. Thornhill in the presence of many friends. The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. Crowther Smith, while Mr. A. J. Darby supported the bridegroom as best man. The bride's dress was ivory *mon-desein* with an Oriental satin train, daintily finished off with manureuse lace. The conventional wreath of orange blossoms was surmounted by a pretty veil. She carried a choice bouquet of lilies tube roses, maiden-hair fern and Chinese asters and was attended by Miss Joyce Hollingsworth and Master Ian Adams.

AMERICAN COMMERCIAL COMMISSIONERS.

The representatives of the Pacific Chambers of Commerce, whose visit to China has attracted so much attention, leave here for Manila on Friday by the *Nitko Maru*. Perhaps the part of their trip which will be most associated with pleasant memories is that relating to Canton. Here they have met with a most cordial reception. The *On Lee*, which was specially chartered for the occasion, took the party to the City of Rams on Friday, when the Commissioners were met by the representatives of his Excellency the Viceroy and H.E. the Tartar General, who that same evening entertained them to dinner. Next day they visited the sights of the city and at the Ancestral Temple of the Chan Family they were entertained to luncheon by the General Commercial Association, a short conference following. In the afternoon a train journey was made to Fatsan. Sunday was spent quietly. On Monday the Commissioners visited the Provincial Assembly, where they were entertained to luncheon, and afterwards they proceeded to the Agricultural Experimental Station. Before the Commissioners took their departure from Canton on Monday they each received from Captain Wu, on behalf of the Viceroy, a loving cup with his Excellency's name and good wishes engraved on each in Chinese characters.

Last night the Chinese Y.M.C.A. in Hongkong gave a reception in honour of the members of the Commission.

It is expected in Manila that nearly all the delegates will visit that city.

The Chairman of the Commercial Commissioners, Mr. William Lewis Gerstle, was born in San Francisco. He is the president of the chamber of commerce of San Francisco, and vice-president of the associated chambers of commerce of the Pacific Coast. He is also prominent in a large number of other commercial enterprises and director of various mining companies doing business in Alaska.

One of the most prominent of the delegates is Mr. Willis H. Booth, President of the Associated Chambers of Commerce of the Pacific Coast. He is also vice-president of the Equitable Savings Bank and treasurer and manager of the Booth Investment Company dealing in stocks and bonds.

Mr. Robert Dollar is also a member. Born in Scotland 66 years ago, he emigrated to the United States when 13 years of age and a year later began work in the lumber forests. At 21 he was in charge of a lumber camp, and at 30 the manager of a large lumber concern. Later in life he moved to San Francisco, where he engaged in the lumber business on his own account.

THE GREAT NICOLA AT SEA.

When Nicola left Hongkong to go to Manila on the s.s. *Zeus* the ship unfortunately passed through the end of a big typhoon, and as a consequence, the whole of the Nicola Company were seasick.

When the ship was boarded by newspaper men at Manila, who had come to interview the Great Magician, he told them that when the ship sighted Corregidor, near Manila, and he first gazed upon solid earth, he sincerely felt that land never looked as good to Christopher Columbus when he discovered America, as it did to him (Nicola) that morning. Nicola will appear on Friday and Saturday this week at the Theatre Royal, Hongkong, and these will be positively his last appearances in Hongkong, prior to his tour through India, Australia and Europe.

TELEGRAMS.

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CHINA'S PARLIAMENT.

PEKING, October 26th.

The motion that Parliament be inaugurated at the earliest possible time was debated calmly by the National Assembly to-day and passed the President agreeing to attach the preliminary provincial memorials to the overseas representations and agreeing to exercise his personal influence and explain to the Throne that the world sympathises with the movement.

Duke Tsai Tse, in introducing the Budget, expressed the hope that Parliament would be introduced at the soonest opportunity.

The House was delighted with the support of this able and supposedly reactionary Prince.

[REUTERS'S SERVICE TO THE "HONGKONG DAILY PRESS."]

AUSTRIA'S DREADNOUGHTS.

LONDON, October 26th.

According to a telegram from Vienna Count Montecucoli has stated that the construction of the Dreadnoughts will involve an increase of twenty thousand in the personnel of the Navy.

SCENE IN THE FRENCH CHAMBER.

LONDON, October 26th.

There has been a scene in the French Chamber of Deputies arising out of the Socialists attacking M. Briand's action in the recent strike of railway men.

The Chamber adjourned amid uproar.

GERMANY'S NEW DREAD-NOUGHT.

FASTEST IN THE WORLD.

LONDON, October 26th.

It is reported from Berlin that the new Dreadnought "Von der Tann" in her speed trials averaged 28 knots. She is therefore superior to any in the world.

GREEK ASSEMBLY DISSOLVED.

LONDON, October 26th.

The Greek Assembly has been dissolved and the elections for the new Revisionist Chamber will take place on November 28th.

GERMANY AND PERSIA.

LONDON, October 25th.

It is reported from Berlin that German official quarters are tranquil regarding Persia. Germany has no intention of interfering.

TURKEY'S LOAN DIFFICULTIES.

LONDON, October 25th.

The Porte has now turned to a big combination of German and Austrian Banks to at least secure a temporary loan.

THE KAISER AT BRUSSELS.

LONDON, October 25th.

At Brussels the Kaiser, the Kaiserin and Princess Victoria have been warmly welcomed.

LONDON, October 26th.

A State banquet was given at Brussels in honour of the visit of the Kaiser.

The most cordial toasts were exchanged.

THE CLODBURST IN ITALY.

LONDON, October 25th.

A Rome dispatch says it is estimated that the victims in the township of Cetara number one hundred.

In Marjori a street collapsed and twenty people were killed.

In the town of Monori four deaths occurred.

INTERPORT RIFLE SHOOTING.

The standard of shooting during this season's interport practice has been much higher than for several years past, and competition for the honour of a place in the Colony's team has been close and keen. The selection of the team has therefore proved somewhat difficult, but it is considered that the team chosen will justify their selection and regain some of the lost prestige of the Colony as regards rifle shooting. The following will comprise the team—G. F. O'Flynn (H.M.S. *Tamar*), Messrs. Stewart, Taylor, Watts, Hoar (H. M. Naval Yard Rifle Club), Bannerman, Bassford and Henderson (Thicko Rifle Club), Mr. West (P.W.D.) and Sergeant Bryant, A.O.C. Reserves: Mr. Brown and Mr. V. Sorby. With the exception of Mr. Stewart, who shot for the Colony in 1902 and 1909, the team chosen is new to Interport honours. The match will be fired on Saturday next, 29th inst., on the King's Park Range, at 2.30 p.m., under the management of Captain Northcote, Hongkong Volunteer Corps. All persons interested in rifle shooting are invited to be present.

DUMPING A DEAD BODY.

The compradors of the steam launch *Hoilow* was charged before Mr. J. R. Wood at the Magistracy yesterday with dumping the body of a passenger who died on board in a street near the Central Market.

Defective Murphy informed the Court that the body was dumped on the 7th instant, when the defendant hired a number of coolies to carry it ashore. His excuse was that the Tung Wah Hospital authorities did not want to go into the matter.

His Worship—Is there any evidence that he made a report to the Tung Wah?

Defective Murphy—No, I made inquiries.

His Worship (to defendant)—Have you any witnesses?

Defendant—Yes. I asked my employers to make a report.

His Worship—Do you want to call anybody from your office?

Defendant—Yes.

A witness named by the defendant was then called, but knew nothing about the matter.

His Worship told the defendant that it was a very serious thing to dump dead bodies, and for that offence he was liable to a penalty of \$300, or in default six months' imprisonment. He would be fined \$150 or six months' imprisonment.

DEPARTURE OF THE "ROHILLA."

H.M. Transport *Rohilla* left Hongkong yesterday for Home. The list of officers and men bound for Southampton is as follows:—Capt. E. J. Manders (A.S.C.); Rev. H. C. Meekes (A.C.D.); Capt. G. A. Benson, Capt. E. J. Elliott (R.A.M.C.); Lieut. C. C. Walker (A.O.C.); Major Adair, Capt. Beer, Lieut. Simcock, Lieut. Chapman, Major Logan, Lieut. Fitzroy, Lieut. Cream (R.G.A.); Lieut. Chapman, Major Logan, Lieut. Fitzroy, Capt. G. F. C. Finch, Lieut. F. A. Whyte (R.K.S.B. R.G.A.); Lieut. Shannon, Lieut. Davidson (Ruffs); Major Macdonald, Major Probyn (R.A.M.C.); Major Brown, Capt. Murray, Capt. Baker and son, Lieut.-Col. Lander (A.O.D. and A.O.C.); Rev. Dallas Ennis (A.C.D.); officers' wives 8, and 16 children.

The following were also passengers:—

N. C. O's and men	594
Women	69
Children	123
Female servants	4

Major Boxhall and 1 sergeant, R.A.M.C. left for Colombo.

The following contingent was bound for Singapore:—

N. C. O's and men	61
Women	5
Children	9

Capt. Brown and Lieutenants Bykes, Stagg, and Innes were passengers also for the Straits.

AFTER FIFTY YEARS.

FAREWELL RECEPTION TO ARCHDEACON AND MRS. MOULE.

A farewell reception given at the Deaconsry at Shanghai last Friday by the Rev. A. J. and Mrs. Walker to Archdeacon A. E. Moule and Mrs. Moule provided the opportunity for the not inconsiderable section of the community that takes interest in or is connected with Church affairs and missionary work to bid good-bye to the veteran missionaries. It is fifty years, says the *N.C. Daily News*, since Archdeacon Moule received his appointment to Ningpo and but few months less since he actually arrived with Mrs. Moule in Shanghai. Of late years his labours have kept him almost entirely to Chekiang, but he has been in close connection with Shanghai and remained the lay of so years has introduced changes in the personnel rather than in the number of his friends of this community. A large portion of these were present yesterday, including, in addition to Bishop Molony and the local clergy of several denominations, numerous representatives of the missionary body, together with many other residents. From the sincerity of the good wishes with which expression was given on this occasion Archdeacon and Mrs. Moule will have realized that their departure for England will be a source of very genuine regret to their many friends in Shanghai.

SPORTING NOTES.

Learned cricket got going on Saturday when the Remnants met the Police on their own ground. The hopes of the former that they will make considerable headway in the competition have received some little justification from the result of this match, which ended in a rather easy win for the Remnants. The Police fielded a pretty strong team, which included T. H. King, (whose services are now lost to them, as he left the Colony yesterday on vacation), and Dr. Kelly, but the men whom they expected to make a good show were not seen to advantage. Only one of their number reached double figures, W. Kent making 15. On the other side the credit of the victory so far as scoring is concerned belongs to A. H. Young, who made 52 before he was bowled by Woodcock. D. E. Donnelly, the Shanghai interport player, was the next highest scorer, being value for 19. His record with the ball was better, for he secured three wickets for twelve runs, a performance which was, however, surpassed by Warburton with two for five. The best bowlers for the Police were Kerr with four wickets for 20 runs and Woodcock with two for 13.

The match on the Club ground between the men from the Plains and those from the Hills proved interesting. The Plains, winning by a margin of 44 runs, had several useful totals from Claxton 26, Turner 24, Pagnall 25, and Fowler 22. Of course they had a tower of strength in Bird, whose bowling was most effective, accounting for seven wickets for 37 runs. The hill men were unable to make any decided stand at the wicket, 19 by Hitchcock being their highest total, and they had to retire for 109.21 of which were extras.

On Saturday six of the League teams are engaged. The H. K. C. C. are at home to the Remnants, the Craigengower entertain the R.E. and the Police journey to Kowloon. The titbit of the day should be furnished by the Club, and the result of that meeting will be a fair indication of the form of each club and will probably indicate the destination of the Shield. The following will form the H. K. C. C. "A" team:—A. C. Leith, A. R. Makin, Dr. G. E. Aubrey, P. Jacobs, A. Mackenzie, Rev. S. W. Payne, G. A. Hastings, E. A. S. Fowler, H. D. Sharplin, Hon. Dr. J. M. Atkinson and A. P. Dashedwood.

An interesting game was provided by Kowloon and Craigengower at the Happy Valley. The visitors compiled 169 for eight wickets, when they declared, and the home men had made 175 at the fall of the ninth wicket, at which time stamps were drawn. The 2nd XI. of Kowloon was ambitious enough to attempt a fixture with the R.E. and met with defeat, the Sappers making 103 for eight wickets and the visitors securing 35 before they were dismissed. Captain Somerville did well for Kowloon as a trundler, getting four wickets for 28.

There were no surprises in League football The Naval Yard put up a good struggle against the Buffs, but the better training of the soldiers was bound to tell, and they obtained the two points which now places them at the head of the League. Neither could it be said that the draw between the Hongkong Football Club and Kowloon was other than expected. True, the Club shaped well at the start, but the smallness of the ground seemed to put them out, as throws-in were frequent. The "loons" would be stronger had they more weight, and with a little more training they may be expected to do a little better than last year. At the same time it has to be admitted that the military teams are likely to carry everything before them by reason of their being more fit at the beginning of the season. The match between the Buffs and the R.E. yesterday was another win for the Buffs.

Saturday is another full day. All the six clubs are playing. The Club are at home to the R.G.A. and the home team will have to improve to keep last year's winners from gaining the points. Naval Yard and R.E. should be a fairly even match, and I should not be surprised to see the Yard annexing the points. The other match is between the Buffs and Kowloon, the result of which should not be very much in doubt.

Hockey practice is being taken up fairly well at present. The Y.M.C.A. are getting into form, but if my information prove correct the R.E. combination is likely to prove very strong this year. Of course, little is known as to what is doing on the other side of the water, and either the U.S.C.F. or one of the native regiment teams may be expected to be in the final of the shield competition. The Ladies' Hockey Club has also started practice, but its numbers have fallen off somewhat and it has to call in assistance from other clubs for its matches.

Rugby has also made a start. On Saturday the fifteen of the Club met the United Services at Happy Valley. Play was very fast, and victory, after a strenuous game, went to the visitors, who won by one goal and a try, to one goal.

The yachting season commences next week in earnest. The Royal Hongkong Yacht Club open with a week-end (two days) regatta, and are also considering the arrangements for the innovation proposed by Mr. Sutherland, a regatta at Taiipo. The Corinthian Yacht Club is also getting its house in order, its annual meeting having been held last night, when Dr. Clark was re-elected Commodore.

OBSERVER.

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Hongkong, 1st October, 1910. [1154]

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THE LATE MR. W. C. COWIE.

A correspondent writing in amplification of the notice of Mr. William Clark Cowie, the chairman of the Court of Directors of the British North Borneo Company, which appeared in the Times of September 19 and 21, says:—

Probably few people in this country are cognizant of the fact that but for Cowie's presence and extraordinary influence with the Sultans and Rajahs of the Eastern seas, the colony of British North Borneo—now more than twice the size of Denmark—would have passed under the Spanish flag and in the due course of events, sharing the fate of the Philippines and Sulu Islands, have become a possession of the United States barred to our commerce and our laws, instead of being, as to-day, a colony of vast possibilities within the circle of the British Dominion.

A detailed account of his first voyage to the scene of his future activities, as mentioned in the Times of September 21, reads like a chapter of a sea romance. The Argyle, in which he shipped as chief engineer, was a tiny steel or iron schooner-rigged screw steamer of 14 tons register, built at Glasgow as a pleasure craft for smooth water traffic, and her steaming capabilities may be gauged from the fact that she had only 7 in. cylinders to her engines.

She was a mere launch in fact, but brought by a former ship's captain named Peter Orr, at a very low price, partly in order to save his passage-money to Singapore, and also because he knew of a likely market for his purchase. The little vessel appeared so inadequate for a voyage of 9,000 miles that he could not induce a single professional seaman to ship with him; but finally he was able to engage a cook and to recruit three adventurous young men, including Mr. Cowie, to accompany him.

Under him in the Argyle, to accompany him, were three days' steaming the voyage out to the coast of Sumatra, which occupied five months, was completed under canvas, and from first to last full of curious experiences. The Argyle was nearly wrecked in a frightful gale off the north-west coast of Ireland. She sank in Lake Titicaca in the Suez Canal through coming in contact with a dredger's anchor, but the happy-go-lucky crew raised her and repaired her, and continued the voyage with most of the storm water spilt. They careened her on the mud at Aden and removed the propeller in the hope of improving her rate of sailing and finally reached their destination after enduring for months the miseries of semi-starvation.

First, as "Admiral" under the Sultan of the Elio and Linga Archipelago, in command of a fleet consisting of several large revenue-cutters, and subsequently as a trader with his own vessels and stations, Mr. or Captain Cowie, as he was then generally called, soon began to acquire his unique knowledge of and influence with the natives of all ranks. By intuition he seemed to comprehend the native point of view; he was always scrupulous in his observation of their etiquette and customs, and with the exception of the pirates, whom he fought in self-defence or when he came upon them ready-handed, his attitude towards them was one of sympathy. While they on their part gave him an implicit trust and a friendship which in many cases amounted to affection. He was friendly with the affable Sultan of Brunei, who had shadowy claims on North Borneo, and who ceded him the Peninsula of Muara, which, with the coal mines he discovered and developed, he afterwards sold to Rajah Brooke of Sarawak. He was also on terms of close intimacy with the Sultan of Sulu, who actually held the country, though he did nothing with it and spent most of his time in the Sulu Archipelago. The Sulus, who are staunch Moslems and a fine fighting race, though formerly addicted to piracy, were at this time almost universally distrusted by Europeans; but Mr. Cowie came and went among them with the utmost freedom, and it soon came to be said of him that he was a welcome guest where others could not go without raking their teeth in the sand.

And so it was that when one of his books of his first meeting with Captain Cowie, whose name was in every one's mouth just then; and this must have been about the beginning of the Spanish-Sulu war in 1875, which gave Captain Cowie his great chance in life—a war about which singularly little is known in this country, though its seriousness may be judged from the fact that over 8,000 troops with which the Spaniards, after several attempts, succeeded in capturing Jolo or Tawi-tawi, they lost 2,000 killed in one engagement alone.

For centuries the Spanish authorities in the Far East had been steadily encroaching on the dominions of the Sultan of Sulu, and now, bent on getting possession of the whole of the coveted territory by one bold stroke, they, in addition to land operations, established a blockade of Sulu and the archipelago of that name. This blockade lasted three years and was only terminated by the intervention of the Great Powers, who had been unsympathetic towards it from the beginning. During the continuance of the blockade, Mr. Cowie, who was then a young man, was in the Far East attempting to set it at naught, though often with dire consequences to himself. Mr. Cowie was frankly on the side of his friend the Sultan, though, of course, he could not render him active assistance. But he was quick to see and point out to the latter that though the Great Powers would eventually intervene to compel the cessation of hostilities which were crippling the Sultan, in view of her sacrifices there, it was better to prevent Spain from acquiring the Sultan's compensation. The Sultan, who was then a young man, transferred his sovereign rights over the whole of North Borneo with absolute possession to his friend, nominally in return for a small subsidy, but in reality with the object of building his inveterate enemies.

The imperative indispensability of Mr. Cowie's influence and personality in this acquisition was clearly proved in the following manner. In order to secure financial backing for the development of the country, that gentleman joined his interest to that of others who held some untraded and all but worthless claims in the area in question, the amalgamation eventually blossoming into the British North Borneo Company. But the representatives of the company soon came to loggerheads with the Sultan, who without loss of time repudiated his agreement, hauled down the Company's flag and re-hoisted his own. Mr. Cowie was sent for in hot haste, and it was only by his intervention that the Sultan, who had refused to reopen negotiations with the other members of the Company—but at the time was partner with Mr. Cowie in various trading ventures—consented to restore the status quo.

Mr. Cowie did not join the Court of Directors till years after the Charter had been granted, and at a time when the Company's fortunes were at a very low ebb. In the literal sense of the words, he devoted the whole of his energies and his life to improving them, and had the satisfaction before his death of seeing the Company in a sounder and more commanding position than it had ever occupied before. When in 1898-9 the Court of Directors determined to try a peaceful solution of the difficulties with Mat Salleh, a Borneo malcontent who at the head of a following of Bajags or sea-pirates—the untameable pirates—had been raiding and looting and keeping the Colony in ferment of petty warfare for years, Mr. Cowie

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went out to Borneo and, taking his life in his hand, sought out and met the outlaw in the midst of his armed followers and had several interviews with him. The then Sultan of Sulu, the son of the chairman's old friend, wrote to Mat Salleh's wife that he, the Sultan, "looked upon Tuan Cowie as a father," and "that his word could be implicitly trusted."

As a result of these interviews Mat Salleh laid down his arms and there was peace for years; but he revivified afresh, and he and his followers had eventually to be exterminated.

On all possible occasions Mr. Cowie never failed to say that he regarded himself and the Company but as the trustees for the nation, and that he looked forward to the time when the Colony, with its fine naval harbours and great natural resources, would be taken over and directly administered by the British Government. In the teeth of great opposition Mr. Cowie not only caused the Colony to be connected by cable with the rest of the world but built the first and only railway in Borneo, practically across the island; and in all ways he so conducted the administration of the country that Mr. Chamberlain, when at the Colonial Office, said it was the only Chartered Company that had never given him a sleepless night. Had he been a more self-seeking man Mr. Cowie would undoubtedly have been marked out for high honour; but he himself would have preferred to be remembered as one who had found North Borneo a pirate-infested wilderness, in which neither life nor property was secure, and had left it as safe for all comers as his native land, with every prospect of a prosperous and happy future.

THE CULTIVATION OF THE "HOMER."

A WAIL BY A RETURNED EXILE.

Hitherto the emigrant who returns, after the lapse of many laborious years, for a well-earned holiday in his native England has had rather a dismal experience. He has come back brimful of enthusiasm and fervent affection for England and its people, and he expects that his unfeeling hospitality to Englishmen visiting his adopted country will be returned to some extent. But he finds that the slight differences in manner and dress, the outward and visible effects of life in a new environment, which distinguish him from his stay-at-home fellow-countrymen, cause him to be received with chilly politeness, that he is regarded as a "Colonial," even if that objectionable word be dropped in his presence, that there is really no place for him in the routine-life of his old home. Relations and connections have disappeared or been dispersed, so that there is no time to hunt them up, and a visit to his birthplace, the scenery and buildings of which seem to have grown strange and deserted during his long absence, proves rather a depressing business. Many such "homers" (to use the Leicester phrase) feel poignantly the truth of the lines:

All things now appear so small
That once appeared so big;
The elephant of former days
Has dwindled to a pig.

which were written by an artist who was so ill-advised as to revisit the scenes of his childhood. And so the "homer" after some experience of hotel life and restaurant and theatre, departs as quietly as he came, feeling that English hospitality has not "made good" in his case, and moved by a sudden access of enthusiasm for the less calculated customs and more exuberant manners of his adopted country. As a fair-minded man, he seldom blames his English friends for the failure of his holiday; he sees that they are too overburdened with business to be able to take him about and give him the "good time" he has given in the past to them or their sons. Dimly he understands that no man, after all, can possess two homes at the same time. But, in his heart of hearts, he feels he has not been well treated.

There are many reasons—sentimental, political, commercial, etc.—why the "homer" should not be allowed to leave England with any sense of dissatisfaction. If he does his work as a factor of Imperial cohesion is obviously diminished. Nobody who knows the *vis intime* of Western Canada or any other of the "new countries" within the limits of the Empire will challenge the validity of that statement. But since it is seldom possible for the stay-at-home Englishman to escape from the routine of business to entertain a visitor from the Dominions as he ought to be entertained, there is a pressing need for the organization of such home-coming festivals as that which was so great a success at Leicester last year. The Leicester Festival has already had important results. A number of Leicester emigrants have gone out with the departing "homers," who will see that they do not waste time, money, and energy by the search for an opportunity of self-investment in unsuitable localities. 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7,000 i.h.p., Captain E. B. Kiddle,
Hongkong.
Atlas, admiralty tug, 615 tons, 1,400 i.h.p.,
Master, S. West, Hongkong.
Bramble, gunboat 710 tons, 900 i.h.p., Lieut.
Comdr. B. G. Washington Shanghai.
Britannia, gunboat, 1,170 tons, 900 i.h.p., Lieut.
Comdr. E. H. Conroy, Weihaiwei.
Cadogan, British sloop, 4,700 tons, i.h.p. 1,400,
2d. Comdr. H. Lyne, cruising.
Cherub, water tank and tug, 390 tons, i.h.p. 340,
Master, W. Smith, Hongkong.
Clio, British sloop, 1,070 tons, i.h.p. 1,400,
Comdr. H. R. Vaala, cruising.
Fame, torpedo-boat destroyer, 340 tons, 6
guns, 5,700 i.h.p., Lt.-Comdr. C. B. Land,
Hongkong.
Fleet, torpedo cruiser, 4,350 tons, 10 guns,
7,000 i.h.p., Captain J. Nicholas,
cruising.
Handy, torpedo-boat destroyer 295 tons, 6 guns,
4,000 h.p., Lieut.-Comdr. B. J. D. Guy,
V.C., cruising.
Hart, torpedo-boat destroyer, 295 tons 6 guns,
4,000 h.p., Lieut.-Comdr. H. S. Monroe,
cruising.
Janus, torpedo-boat destroyer, 320 tons, 6 guns,
3,900 h.p., Lt.-Comdr. G. C. Heston,
cruising.
Kat, armoured cruiser, 9,800 tons, 14 guns,
i.h.p. 22,000, Capt. S. St. J. Farquhar,
Hongkong.
Kinsha, river gunboat, 616 tons, i.h.p. 1,200,
Lieut.-Comdr. T. J. S. Lyne, Yangtze.
Merlin, surveying ship, 1,070 tons, 6 guns, 1,400
i.h.p., Capt. F. C. Leamonth, Katat, H. S.
Borneo.
Minotaur, armoured cruiser (flagship Vice-
Admiral Sir A. L. Wintock, K.C.B.,
C.V.O., C.M.G.), 14,600 tons, i.h.p. 27,600,
Act.-Capt. A. Lowndes, Hongkong.
Monmouth, armoured cruiser, 9,800 tons, i.h.p.
22,000, Captain L. L. F. Harbord, cruising.
Monarch, armoured cruiser, 9,800 tons, 2 guns,
i.h.p. 800, Lieut.-Comdr. G. F. Leith,
West River.
Nightingale, river gunboat, 85 tons, 240 h.p.,
Lt.-Comdr. Claude, Billinson-Woodward,
R.N., Yangtze.
Other, torpedo-boat destroyer, 385 tons, 6 guns,
5,500 i.h.p., Comdr. Lambie, cruising.
Robin, river gunboat, 85 tons, 240 h.p.,
Lieut.-Comdr. Comdr. Douglas, Yangtze.
Sandpiper, river gunboat, 85 tons, 240 h.p.,
Lieut.-Comdr. B. J. S. B. Southby,
Hongkong.
Sinai, river gunboat, 85 tons, 2 guns 240 h.p.,
Lieut.-Comdr. John Michael Barker, Yangtze.
Taku, torpedo boat destroyer, 305 tons, i.h.p.
6,000, Gunner W. Trillo, R.N., Hong-
kong.
Tamar, receiving ship, 4,650 tons, 6 guns,
Commodore Byres, Hongkong.
Tual, river gunboat, 180 tons, 2 guns, i.h.p. 800,
Lieut.-Comdr. E. J. Buchanan, Yangtze.
Thistle, gunboat, 710 tons, 900 h.p., Lieut
Comdr. M. B. Beille-Hamilton, Hongkong

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POST OFFICE NOTICE

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Route to EUROPE.

The Public are informed that the Christmas and New Year Parcel mail to the United
Kingdom and other countries in Europe will be closed in this office at 5 p.m. on Friday, the
11th of November, 1910. This parcel mail by the long sea route via Gibraltar is due in London
on the 17th of December. Parcels may be forwarded via Brindisi with an extra fee of 60 cents.
Such parcels are due to reach London with the letter mail on the 9th December.
Parcels containing any article of Gold or Silver must be insured for at least part of their
value. All insured parcels must be sealed. All the seals on the parcel must be of the same
kind of wax and must bear distinct impressions of some private device. This device must be the
same on each seal, Strait, Curved, Dotted or Crossed lines are not admissible. Buttons or
Coins must not be used for sealing parcels.

The Clerks of the Post Office are strictly forbidden to seal parcels or to affix Declaration
Forms or Stamps on Parcels or Letters, for the Public. Parcels that in the opinion of a Postal
officer do not comply with the above regulations will not be accepted.

The *Arctica*, with the English mail of the 30th September, left Singapore on Saturday, the
22nd inst., at 9 a.m., and may be expected here to-day. This packet brings the parcel mails
closed in London for despatch by the all sea route on the 21st of September, and for despatch
overland on the 23rd of September.

The *Manchuria*, with the American mail, is expected to arrive from Manila to-morrow.

The *Desnha*, with the Siberian mail, is due to arrive here to-morrow.

FOR	PER	DATE.
Swatow, Amoy, Foochow and Shanghai	<i>Buwan Maru</i>	Thursday, 27th, 9.00 A.M.
Shanghai	<i>Tyoboda</i>	Thursday, 27th, 11.00 A.M.
Shanghai, Kobe and Moji	<i>Fookang</i>	Thursday, 27th, 11.00 A.M.
Hankow	<i>Angin</i>	Thursday, 27th, 11.00 A.M.
Kobe and Yokohama	<i>Osaka Maru</i>	Thursday, 27th, 11.00 A.M.
Hankow and Halphong	<i>Carl Diederichsen</i>	Thursday, 27th, Noon.
Singapore, Penang and Calcutta	<i>Austria</i>	Thursday, 27th, 1.00 P.M.
Manila	<i>Sui Tai</i>	Thursday, 27th, 1.15 P.M.
Shanghai	<i>Chenau</i>	Thursday, 27th, 3.00 P.M.
Swatow, Ningbo, Chefoo and Tientsin	<i>Huichow</i>	Thursday, 27th, 3.00 P.M.
SHANGHAI	<i>Arctica</i>	Thursday, 27th, 5.00 P.M.
Hankow, Singapore and Bangkok	<i>Petchaburi</i>	Thursday, 27th, 5.00 P.M.
Halphong	<i>Chihai</i>	Friday, 28th, 9.00 A.M.
Singapore	<i>Pheumponk</i>	Friday, 28th, 10.00 A.M.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	<i>Hatching</i>	Friday, 28th, 10.00 A.M.
Manila, Thursday, 1.00 P.M.		
Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, Hobart,		
Launceston, New Zealand, Melbourne,	<i>Nikko Maru</i>	Friday, 28th, 11.00 A.M.
Adelaide, Dunedin, Perth, and Fremantle.		
Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama	<i>Benaton</i>	Friday, 28th, 11.00 A.M.
Manila	<i>Sui Tai</i>	Friday, 28th, 1.15 P.M.
Manila	<i>Loongear</i>	Friday, 28th, 3.00 P.M.
Manila		Friday, 28th, 5.00 P.M.
SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBÉ, YOKOHAMA, VICTORIA AND VANCOUVER (B.C.)	<i>Empress of China</i>	Registration, Kowloon B.O. 4.00 P.M. Printed Matter and Sam- ples, 5.00 P.M. Registration, 5.00 P.M. Letters, 5.00 P.M. Saturday, 29th, Printed Matter and Sam- ples, 9.00 A.M. Registration, 9.00 A.M. (Registration with late fee of 10 cents up to 9.30 A.M.) Registration, Kowloon B.O. 9.00 A.M. No late fee. Letters, 10.00 A.M. Saturday, 29th, 10.00 A.M. Sunday, 30th, 10.00 A.M. Printed Matter and Sam- ples, 10.00 A.M. Registration, 10.00 A.M. (Registration with late fee of 10 cents up to 10.45 A.M.) Registration, Kowloon B.O. 10.00 A.M. No late fee. Letters, 11.00 A.M. Saturday, 29th, Registration, 4.15 P.M. (Registration with late fee of 10 cents up to 5.00 P.M.) Letters, 6.00 P.M. Sunday, 30th, 9.00 A.M. Monday, 31st, 9.00 A.M. Tuesday, 1st, 11.00 A.M. Wednesday, 2nd, 11.00 A.M. Thursday, 3rd, 11.00 A.M. Friday, 4th, 11.00 A.M. Saturday, 5th, 11.00 A.M. Sunday, 6th, 11.00 A.M. Monday, 7th, 11.00 A.M. Tuesday, 8th, 11.00 A.M. Wednesday, 9th, 11.00 A.M. Thursday, 10th, 11.00 A.M. Friday, 11th, 11.00 A.M. Saturday, 12th, 11.00 A.M. Sunday, 13th, 11.00 A.M. Monday, 14th, 11.00 A.M. Tuesday, 15th, 11.00 A.M. Wednesday, 16th, 11.00 A.M. Thursday, 17th, 11.00 A.M. Friday, 18th, 11.00 A.M. Saturday, 19th, 11.00 A.M. Sunday, 20th, 11.00 A.M. Monday, 21st, 11.00 A.M. Tuesday, 22nd, 11.00 A.M. Wednesday, 23rd, 11.00 A.M. Thursday, 24th, 11.00 A.M. Friday, 25th, 11.00 A.M. Saturday, 26th, 11.00 A.M. Sunday, 27th, 11.00 A.M. Monday, 28th, 11.00 A.M. Tuesday, 29th, 11.00 A.M. Wednesday, 30th, 11.00 A.M. Thursday, 31st, 11.00 A.M. Friday, 1st, 11.00 A.M. Saturday, 2nd, 11.00 A.M. Sunday, 3rd, 11.00 A.M. Monday, 4th, 11.00 A.M. Tuesday, 5th, 11.00 A.M. Wednesday, 6th, 11.00 A.M. Thursday, 7th, 11.00 A.M. Friday, 8th, 11.00 A.M. Saturday, 9th, 11.00 A.M. Sunday, 10th, 11.00 A.M. Monday, 11th, 11.00 A.M. Tuesday, 12th, 11.00 A.M. Wednesday, 13th, 11.00 A.M. Thursday, 14th, 11.00 A.M. Friday, 15th, 11.00 A.M. Saturday, 16th, 11.00 A.M. Sunday, 17th, 11.00 A.M. Monday, 18th, 11.00 A.M. Tuesday, 19th, 11.00 A.M. Wednesday, 20th, 11.00 A.M. Thursday, 21st, 11.00 A.M. Friday, 22nd, 11.00 A.M. Saturday, 23rd, 11.00 A.M. Sunday, 24th, 11.00 A.M. Monday, 25th, 11.00 A.M. Tuesday, 26th, 11.00 A.M. Wednesday, 27th, 11.00 A.M. Thursday, 28th, 11.00 A.M. Friday, 29th, 11.00 A.M. Saturday, 30th, 11.00 A.M. Sunday, 31st, 11.00 A.M.

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gives 25 hours light for the consumption of
one unit of current.
THE OSRAM LAMP has an average life of over
2,000 hours, and during the whole of that
period its initial cost is practically un-
diminished.
IT CONSUMES only approximately 1 watt per
Hour, candle-power as against 4 watts
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WHAT IT DOES NOT

IT DOES NOT deteriorate in light even after
2,000 hours' burning.
IT DOES NOT, although its initial cost is more,
PROVE AS EXPENSIVE AS AN ORDINARY
CARBON LAMP, for it lasts four times as
long, and consumes one-quarter the current
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IT DOES NOT require any special installing,
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THE OSRAM LAMP DOES NOT
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EXCHANGE
CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

ON LONDON	October 26th.
Telegraphic Transfer	1/10 1/2
Bank Bills, on demand	1/10 1/2
Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight	1/10 1/2
Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight	1/10 1/2
Credits, at 4 months' sight	1/11 1/2
Documentary Bills 4 months' sight	1/11 1/2
ON PARIS	
Bank Bills, on demand	238
Credits, at 4 months' sight	242
ON GERMANY	
On demand	153
ON NEW YORK	
Bank Bills, on demand	45 1/2
Credits, at 60 days' sight	46 1/2
ON BOMBAY	
Telegraphic Transfer	140
Bank, on demand	140 1/2
ON CALCUTTA	
Telegraphic Transfer	140
Bank, on demand	140 1/2
ON SHANGHAI	
Bank, at sight	74 1/2
Private, 30 days' sight	75 1/2
ON YOKOHAMA	
On demand	92 1/2
ON MANILA	
On demand	80 1/2
ON BATAVIA	
On demand	113 1/2
ON HAIPHONG	
On demand	14 1/2 p.m.
ON SAIGON	
On demand	82 1/2
ON HONGKONG	
On demand	82 1/2
SOVEREIGNS, Bank's Buying Rate	310.60
GOLD LEAF, 100 fine, per tola	355.70
BAR SILVER, per oz.	25 1/2

SUBSIDIARY COINS.

Chinese	20 cents pieces	per cent
Chinese	10	55.53 discount
Hongkong	20	55.50
Hongkong	10	55.58
Hongkong	10	55.99

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

HONGKONG, OCTOBER 26TH, 1910.

STOCKS.	NO. OF SHARES.	VALUE.	PAID UP.	CLOSING QUOTA- TIONS CASH.
BANKS.				
Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Corporation	120,000	\$125	all	\$900, sellers
National Bank of China, Limited	99,925	47	26	\$86, 10/100, buyers
Bell's Asbestos Eastern Agency, Limited	8,604	12 1/2	12 1/2	\$8, sellers
China Borneo Company, Limited	50,000	12	12	\$9.
China Light and Power Company, Limited	50,000	10	10	\$1.20, sellers
China Provident Loan & Mortgage Co., Ltd.	200,000	10	10	\$2, buyers
COTTON MILLS.				
Ewo Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ltd.	20,000	Tls. 50	Tls. 50	Tls. 100.
Hongkong Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	125,000	\$10	\$10	\$32, buyers
International Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	10,000	Tls. 75	Tls. 75	Tls. 51.
Leong-King-Mow C. Spinning & Weaving Co., Ltd.	8,000	Tls. 100	Tls. 100	Tls. 50.
Boy Chee Cotton Spinning Co., Limited	2,000	Tls. 500	Tls. 500	Tls. 220.
Dairy Farm Company, Limited	40,000	7 1/2	6	\$17 1/2, sales
DOCKS AND WHARVES.				
H'kong & Kowloon Wharf & G. Co., Ltd.	60,000	50	all	\$54, buyers
Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd.	50,000	45 1/2	all	\$49, sellers
New Amoy Dock Co., Limited	10,000	50	50	\$9, sellers
Shanghai Dock and Engineering Co., Ltd.	55,700	Tls. 100	Tls. 100	Tls. 72.
Shanghai and Hongkong Wharf Co., Ltd.	36,000	Tls. 100	Tls. 100	Tls. 100.
FEARWICK & CO., LIMITED	18,000	25	25	\$9, sellers
Green Island Cement Co., Limited	400,000	10	10	\$4, sales
Hongkong and China Gas Co., Limited	7,000	10	all	\$210, buyers
Hongkong Electric Co., Limited	50,000	10	10	\$20.
Hongkong Hotel Company, Limited	12,000	50 1/2	50	\$98, sellers
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited	8,000	25	25	\$72, sellers
Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Co., Limited	5,000	25	all	\$135, sellers
H'kong & South China Steam Fisheries Co., Ltd.	60,000	10	10	\$20, sellers
INSURANCES.				
Canton Insurance Office Co., Limited	10,000	\$250	50	\$175.
China Fire Insurance Co., Limited	20,000	100	100	\$115.
China Traders Insurance Co., Limited	24,000	\$33.33	25	\$37 1/2.
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited	10,000	\$250	50	\$350, sales
North-China Insurance Co., Limited	12,400	\$15	25	Tls. 112 1/2, sellers
Union Insurance Society, Limited	12,400	\$250	100	\$240.
Yangtze Insurance Association, Limited	12,000	100	60	\$195.
LANDS AND BUILDINGS.				
Hongkong Land Invest. Agency Co., Ltd.	50,000	100	100	\$100, sellers
Humphreys' Estate and Finance Co., Ltd.	150,000	10	all	\$7 1/2, sellers
Kowloon Land and Building Co., Ltd.	6,000	50	30	\$32, buyers
Shanghai Land Investment Co., Limited	78,000	Tls. 50	Tls. 50	Tls. 110.
West Point Building Co., Limited	12,500	50	50	\$39.
MINING.				
Société Française des Charbonnages du Tonkin	16,000	Fcs. 250	all	\$720.
Ramb Australian Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	200,000	21	21	\$7, sellers
Peak Tramways Co., Limited	25,000	10	all	\$15, sellers
Philippine Co., Limited	50,000	10	10	\$12, sellers
REFINERIES.				
China Sugar Refining Co., Limited	20,000	100	all	\$145, sellers
Luzon Sugar Refining Co., Limited	7,000	100	all	\$15, buyers
Robinson Piano Co., Limited	4,000	50	50	\$50.
STEAMSHIP COMPANIES.				
China and Manila Steamship Co., Ltd.	30,000	25	25	\$10, sellers
Donghai Steamship Co., Limited	20,000	50	50	\$31, buyers
Hongkong, Canton & Macao S.S. Co., Ltd.	80,000	15	15	\$1/100.
Indo-China Steam Navigation Co., Ltd.	60,000 paid	25	all	58. (\$5.10/100)
Shell Transport & Trading Co., Limited	2,000,000	10	21	\$1/3, sellers
Star Ferry Company, Limited	10,000	10	10	\$5.
South China Morning Post, Limited	6,000	25	25	\$24, sellers
Steam Laundry Company, Limited	20,000	5	5	\$5 1/2, sellers
STORES AND DISPENSARIES.				
Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited	1,200	10	all	\$10.
Wm. Powell, Limited	15,000	7	7	\$5, buyers
Watkins, Limited	10,000	10	10	\$5, sales
A. S. Watson & Co., Limited	90,000	10	10	\$12, buyers
Weismann, Limited	3,000	10	10	\$11 1/2, sellers
United Asbestos Oriental Agency, Limited	9,900 only	10	10	\$30.
Union Waterboat Co., Limited	100,000	10	10	\$8, sellers
RUBBERS.				
Allagars	750,000	2/	all	5/3
Anglo-Malays	1,500,000	2/	all	21/
Balgownie	151,200	1/	all	11/ (Sta.)
Batu Tigas	70,000	21	all	92/6
Bukit Kajang	80,000	21	all	117/6
Castlefields, fully paid	30,000	21	all	117/6
Cheviots	70,000	21	all	117/6
Eastern and International	250,000	21	10/	12/- sales prem.
Highlands and Lowlands	307,143	21	all	106/-
Kammingas	1,825,000	2/	all	5/3 prem.
Kuala Lumpur	180,000	21	all	16/6
Labas	100,000	2/	all	70/-
Ledbury's	100,000	21	all	44/6
Linggis	900,000	2/	all	129
London Asiatics	2,266,000	2/	all	6/-
London Ventures	1,750,000	2/	all	30 (Sta.)
Marionous	45,000	2/	all	30 (Sta.)
Pegohs	45,000	2/	all	27/6
Sandycrofts	100,000	21	all	72/6
Sapongas	65,000	21	all	32 (Sta.)
Shelfords	125,000	2/	all	10/-
Singapore and Johore	995,000	2/	all	100/- sales
Sunatra Paras	90,000	2/	all	100/- sales
Sungei-Kapars	90,000	2/	all	100/- sales
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